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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number US010232 (7790/28)																		
	In re Application of:	BENOIT R. VEILLETTE																		
	Application Number:	09/847,138																		
	For	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZATION OF APODIZATION CIRCUITS																		
	Group Art Unit:	2123																		
		Examiner: GARCIA OTERO, E.																		
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to <u>Action Dated November 3, 2004</u> in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows.</p> <table> <tbody> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td>\$ 120.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td>\$ 450.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td>\$ 1,020.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td>\$ 1,590.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td>\$ 2,160.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> <td>Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27; therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ _____</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>50-1713</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p>			<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 120.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ 450.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 1,020.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ 1,590.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ 2,160.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27; therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ _____	
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